

DAVENPORT DOTS.

C. E. Banes, for a number of years manager for Armour & Co., and who has had charge of their mammoth plant on East Fourth street in this city, has resigned and will engage in business in this city for himself. Mr. Banes' resignation becomes effective at once and Monday the A. Wood Creamery company will be launched as a new Davenport concern. Mr. Wood of Rockwell City, who owns a creamery there and also at Omaha and other places, will be president of the new concern and Mr. Banes will be the vice president, treasurer and general manager. The new company will be incorporated with a capital stock of \$25,000.

May Sell Wagon Department.

Negotiations are now under way which may result in the sale of the wagon department of the Bettendorf Axle company of this city to the International Harvester company. The latter company, commonly called "the harvester trust," is the largest concern of its kind in the country and by reason of the excellent reputation of the Bettendorf wagons and the heavy demand for them, are anxious to secure the patents under which they are manufactured and to control their future output. It is understood that the Harvester company will have one or more representatives in Davenport next week.

Becomes Bankrupt.

Olat H. Nielsen, the well known contractor, who some time ago became financially involved, has filed papers in bankruptcy. Mr. Nielsen gives his assets at \$12,000, including what is due him upon unfinished contracts and also exempt property. Mr. Nielsen gives his liabilities at \$4,000. The principal creditors are the H. O. Seifert Lumber company, the Mueller Lumber company, T. W. McClelland company, John Halligan and H. H. Rohlf.

Refuses to Come.

The attorneys for the defense in the case of A. P. Huggard vs. the Sugar Refining company, have served notice on Ely & Bush attorneys for the plaintiff that W. T. McDonald refuses to come to Davenport for cross-examination. He is the witness who says he perjured himself at the trial at which Huggard was awarded \$21,500 damages. The report is that he says he got a telegram from a friend in Davenport saying he would be arrested if he came here.

Write Home.

Henry Scheel, the clerk at the H. Harbeck west end department store, who walked off with \$66 belonging to his employer when sent to deposit it in the Iowa National bank, has written to his parents from Nebraska. His mother left at once to bring him home. Scheel disappeared with the money on Nov. 4.

Cutter to Have Charge.

C. S. Reed and A. F. Cutter returned home at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Cleveland, O., where the deal was closed by which local capital becomes interested in the Camp McClelland property. Both gentlemen stated that they were not at liberty to give out the details of the transaction until the papers are ready to be filed. Mr. Cutter stated however that he would take charge of the property and would hereafter devote his entire time and attention to its improvement.

Obituary Record.

At her home, 2118 Marquette street, Thursday morning, occurred the death of Mrs. Sophie Bransch, an old settler of Scott county, aged 83 years. Death resulted from a stroke of paralysis sustained last Sunday.

Thursday morning at his home, 1107 Iowa street, after a long illness, occurred the death of John T. Kelly, aged 25 years, 2 months and 29 days.

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Caterers and party cooks. Serve parties of all kinds complete, also make and supply ice cream, cake, patties, croquettes and salads. We also have a great variety of china, silver, linen and cut glass to rent. If you are going to entertain, call up 'Phone 940 North, and see what we can do for you.

Deceased was born in Stuart, Iowa, Aug. 19, 1879, and resided here since the middle '90's.

Jeannette, the 2-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gallagher, of 1344 West Locust street died at the parent's home, of infantile disorders.

THE HOTELS.

At the Harper—G. A. Gibson, Q. S. Booth, Cedar Rapids; Fred S. Wise, M. M. Coulee, W. V. Mattson, Chicago; R. M. Keating, H. A. Smith, Boston; M. E. Greeson, Chicago; M. Landener, Davenport; J. H. Williams, C. J. Penfield, Chicago; M. J. Zuech, Davenport; L. Grabowsky, Milwaukee; B. S. Lubby, St. Louis; H. S. Cook, Boston; N. G. Greeson, Chicago; A. S. Cornell, New York; Sol Newman, Minneapolis; L. L. Phelps, Cincinnati; W. C. Chamberly, Philadelphia; Burt B. Espy, Detroit; W. D. Sanner, M. F. Barley, New York; George W. Menander, Peoria; B. F. Thompson, Chicago; J. H. Frinch, Prophetstown; George A. Harrison, South Bend, Ind.; I. Greenbaum, Philadelphia; A. J. Sweeney, Utica, N. Y.; J. D. Frier, Chicago; C. E. Cooper, Milwaukee; Miles H. Murr, B. F. McCrany, Chicago; A. B. Gumb, H. Lichtenstein, O. L. Bruner, New York; I. N. Baker, P. E. Bopes, Edgington; J. G. Cook, Rock Island; J. T. Walker, Kansas City.

At the Harms (European)—Ed Mayer, R. D. Fuchs, H. Allschuler and wife, G. L. Albert, Chicago; William T. Holmes, New York; T. E. Betcher; J. McWay, New York; C. W. Tomlinson; E. G. Carbrey; T. Madden, New York; H. Parsons, Chicago; J. D. Bull, New York; George W. Hazel, Chicago; L. M. Hirt, Peoria; Charles McConville, E. M. Sweet, Chicago; Mr. Kaufman, New York; L. Dupham, Des Moines; J. Cronland, Barrie, Canada; E. A. Felt, Galesburg; S. E. Gries, New York; S. Liting, New York; H. M. Hirt, Peoria; S. Goring, New Jersey; E. W. Kearnes; J. R. Duckworth, St. Louis; G. Wagon, J. Powell, W. Melanda, C. A. Sweet, J. C. Van Boyer, F. W. Agneres, Chicago; H. J. Field, William F. Trandt, New York; Charles J. Lees, Omaha; N. A. Conley, William Gray, New York; R. R. Wilson, Chicago; H. J. Holmes, Peoria; J. W. Smith, Peoria; Fred Burton; J. B. Miller, Springfield; E. Harris, Springfield; V. Starzmyer, Bloomington; George Leper, Chicago; G. L. Keltch, New York; R. J. Williams, Chicago; R. P. Casperson, Kansas City; Henry McArthur, Burlington; Fred Harden, Cedar Rapids; K. T. Magnus, Norfolk, Mo.; T. T. Mueller, Milwaukee.

At the Rock Island (European)—J. H. Willard, Chicago; H. J. Smith, Lake View, Ill.; L. R. Bowman, Yala, Iowa; P. H. Phillips, Ottumwa; L. T. Powell, Davenport; J. S. Kitterman, William Sullivan, S. Major, J. R. MacBean, Chicago; J. C. Dickey, Rockford; George A. Knight, H. W. Overbech, Aurora; W. A. Waldorf, Bloomington; E. E. Shaw, Evanston, Ill.; J. R. Pitney, Peoria; L. B. Hammond, C. W. Bulford, W. R. Letts, A. W. Shore, Chicago; W. H. Mason, Henry; George W. Hazel, Chicago; John Lerch, Geneseo; W. A. Harvey, Dunlap; B. L. Shoel, Chicago.

FOR JOLIET TRACK RAISING

Mayor Signs Ordinance for \$3,000,000 Improvement.
Joliet, Ill., Nov. 19.—Mayor Crollus yesterday afternoon signed the track elevation ordinance passed several days ago by the council. There were rumors that he intended to veto the measure, but that he was holding off for additional concessions. He says these have been obtained. The railroads are required to complete the work by Dec. 17, 1907. The improvement will cost \$3,000,000.

FARMERS ACCUSE MEDICINE MAN

Alleged Agent of "Medical Institute" Arrested in Rockford.
Rockford, Ill., Nov. 19.—A man giving the name of H. W. Baskett and representing himself as agent of the Illinois State Medical and Surgical Institute of Chicago was arrested yesterday afternoon on complaint of farmers living near here that they had been inveigled into signing notes in return for an agreement to treat and supply medicine to rheumatic sufferers for six months. Baskett gave up the notes, which aggregated \$955, for his release. The agreements bore the signature of C. N. Hopkins, as treasurer of the institute. Baskett also had notes made at other places, which he retained.

WILL NOT HEAR FATHER SCHELL

Secretary Hitchcock Will Deny Interview to Nebraska Priest.
Washington, Nov. 19.—After a conference with President Roosevelt concerning the case of Father Joseph Schell, the Nebraska priest arrested because of trouble with the Winnebago Indians, Secretary Hitchcock announced that he would refuse to see the priest should he come to Washington. The secretary intimated that the president might decline to take up the subject and added that Archbishop Ryan had approved of his determination.

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MOLINE MENTION.

Bible Saved Him.

Mike Ritchie, colored, is congratulating himself that he has always kept a bible in the house, and his doing this saved \$5 and costs. Yesterday his son, James Ritchie, was taken into custody by Adam Manche for working without an age permit. He has been pin-setter at the Stouffer & Webber bowling alleys, and Mr. Manche did not think that he was 16 years old. Ben Webber and the boy's father were brought into court. Mr. Webber said that he had an affidavit from the boy's father, and Mike claimed that the boy was the required age. He said that he could prove it, and Justice Ingelson told him to do so. Mike went home and soon returned with the family bible under his arm. In it were 16 names, more or less, and among them was James, showing that he was 16 years old.

Elke to Have Minstrels.

Moline lodge of Elke is arranging for a minstrel show which will be given at the Wagner opera house about Dec. 19 and which promises to be a grand success. The committee in charge of arrangements: Bert Mahon,

Stanley Skinner and Franz Swanson. Within a week all of the characters will have been engaged and then the rehearsals will start, and according to those who know it will be the smartest home talent performance of the year. The best of talent will be presented, and the wearers of the horns will spare no pains in making it pleasing to the public. It will be remembered that several years ago the same lodge gave a performance of the same nature, which was enjoyed by all. The gags will be new and much local material will be worked into them and the songs are the pick of the hits now before the public.

Child Scalded With Coffee.

With one in the family just recovering from serious burns sustained in the fire of Bergquist & Haglund grocery store, another one was badly scalded late Thursday afternoon in the Adolph Hallquist family. Their 6-months-old daughter Lilian was badly scalded on the right arm with hot coffee. Dr. Henry Bennett was called. The child underwent serious pain and the mother was almost prostrated over the accident which only for the prompt arrival of the doctor might have proved much more serious. Mr. and Mrs. Hallquist reside at 418 Thirteenth street and

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Hallquist was entertaining the child's aunt, Miss Christine Mason. The child's mother was serving coffee while the baby was sitting in her aunt's lap. Child-like, when the coffee cup was within reach of the infant's hand she jerked at it and precipitated the steaming beverage upon herself. Only two weeks ago the infant's father was painfully burned on the face and hands while performing his duty as fireman.

MEETING TO BE AN OPEN ONE

Dr. W. E. Quine to Speak Before Moline Woman's Club.

Friday evening, Dec. 2, will be held the first open meeting of the Moline Woman's club. The lecture of the evening will be on "The Preventability and Curability of Pulmonary Tuberculosis and the Duty of the State and Individual Citizens in Relation Thereto," by Dr. William E. Quine, of Chicago, president of the Illinois State Medical society. This subject will be interesting to all people, in view of the fact and the great benefit which the public can derive from hearing the lecture, the club has decided to make the invitation general, asking all citizens who are interested to attend. The program will be in charge of Dr. Martha Anderson, and beside

the lecture there will be a fine musical program, with an organ solo by Miss Edna Mitchell, vocal solo by Miss Edna Lund, a cornet solo by Miss Anna Holt and a vocal solo by Miss Ada Laid. In view of the interest that has been expressed in the subject of the evening and the large number of people who will doubtless attend, the Congregational church has been engaged for the evening and an immense audience should greet Dr. Quine.

SUNDAY MUSIC AT HARPER

Dinner Concert Feature to be Resumed Tomorrow Evening.

Beginning tomorrow, the Sunday evening concerts will be resumed at the Harper house. This was a feature that proved a most pleasing one during the past winter not alone to the traveling public that remained at the house over Sunday but also to those of the city who went to the house for their Sunday dinner. Bleier's orchestra has been engaged for the season, and the concert will be given each Sunday evening from 6 o'clock until 9.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are becoming a favorite for stomach troubles and constipation. For sale by all leading druggists.

RIVER RIPLETS.

The Hennepin was north and south. The stage of water was 5.10 at 6 a. m. and 5.05 at noon.

RIVER FORECAST.

The Mississippi will continue to fall slowly between Dubuque and Muscatine.

RIVER BULLETIN.

	Du'gr Hgt.	Change
Line, 8 a.m. 24 hrs.		
Feet.	Feet.	Feet.
St. Paul	14	4.1 -0.0
Red Wing	14	3.6 -0.0
Reeds Landing	12	3.5 -0.1
La Crosse	12	4.6 -0.2
P. du Chien	18	5.2 -0.2
Dubuque	18	5.8 -0.2
Le Claire	10	3.8 -0.2
Davenport	15	5.1 -0.2
Des Moines Rapids	15	2.8 -0.2
Keokuk	15	4.8 -0.1
St. Louis	30	7.2 -0.2
Kansas City	21	6.2 -0.0

H. M. Coosby, Grand Rapids—Wife could not eat nor sleep. All run down. Three packages Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea made her strong and healthy. 35 cents, tea or tablet. T. H. Thomas, pharmacist.

GREAT SALE OF DINING ROOM AND KITCHEN FURNITURE...



Kitchen tables and chairs in large varieties, homely of course, but thoroughly well made and substantial.



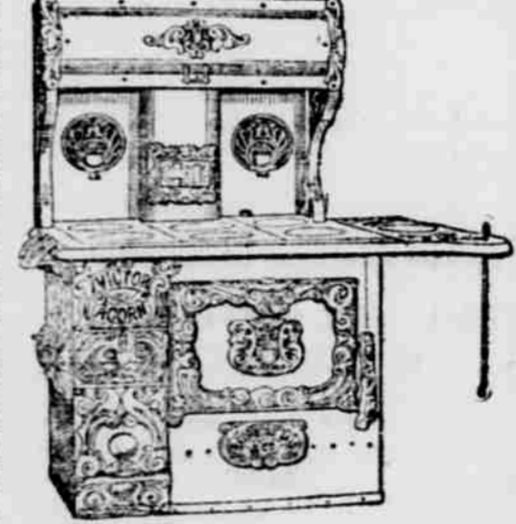
Fine quartered oak polished finished round pedestal Dining Table 25 patterns to choose from. A beauty for this sale \$15.00

Ranges, Stoves, Tinware, Graniteware, Cupboards, Kitchen Cabinets

Nothing to boast of so far as appearance go perhaps but wonderfully good values in every case. Our kitchen furniture is reliable and desirable and every housekeeper should see what we are doing this week. Remember we handle Acorn Cook Stoves and Steel Ranges, also see the Monarch Malleable Steel Range which has no equal. A full line constantly on hand.



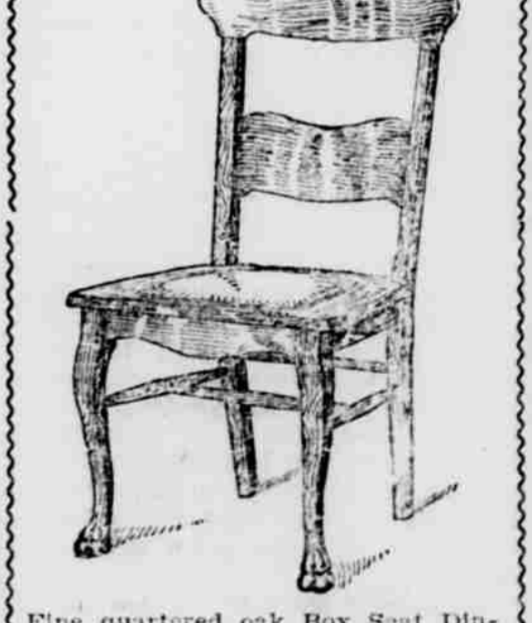
The Holbrook favorite steel range made from very best material; has heavy linings, duplex grate for wood or coal, fine finished six holes with warming closet. Just like cut \$22.50



This fine Acorn Steel Range, with warming closet, six holes, hot blast fire box, large oven and a good baker, just like cut \$35.00



ONE WORD to the lady who wants to buy a good range. The Monarch Ranges are made from steel and Malleable Iron, they stay as they are made. Come in and see it and get a book of hints for range buyers. Prices reduced during this sale.



Fine quartered oak Box Seat Dining, polished finish, claw feet, cane seat, just like cut \$2.50
Leather seat, just like cut \$2.75



Solid Oak Sideboard, French plate painted edge mirror, large size, well made and finished. Just like cut \$11.75



Large Line of Plate Racks, solid oak nicely finished, just like cut— 85c



This fine solid oak 42-in. square top, 6 ft. Dining Table, with five large legs, just like cut, only \$5.95



Very large line of cane seat solid oak diners just like cut— 98c

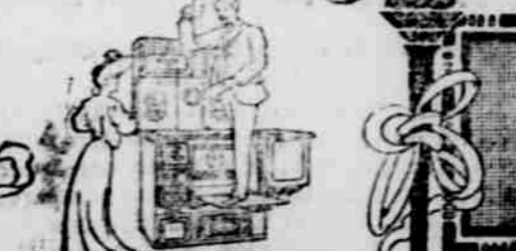


This fine solid oak Cane Seat Dining Chair, fine finish, Sale Price— 79c



This fine solid oak 42 inch square top extension table, five 5 inch legs, just like cut \$9.75

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